RENEWED ACTIVITY BY REBELS.

Purpose to Drive Federals From Whole Northern Tier of States. Washington, Dec. 29.-Confirming private rumors, official reports reached the State Department today of reeastern Mexico with the announced are requested to govern themselves newed insurgent activity in Northpurpose of clearing out the Federals accordingly. from the whole Northern tier of Mexican States. Today Constitutionalist forces were reported as approaching Nuevo Laredo. The understanding is that if the campaign in that quarter is successful, an attack in force upon

Ojinaga will follow. At Nuevo Laredo the Federals have 1,200 men armed with machine guns acting upon their suggestions, I now and entrenched in earthworks and desire to announce that I shall prerifle pits. Closing in upon them is a sent my name to the next Congres-

force of 5,000 insurgents. for the Federal garrison, they must approval, it will be my earnest pur-As there seems no avenue of retreat either defeat the enemy or cross the international line to be promptly arrested. In the Mexican city of Nuevo Laredo are nine Americans besides Shelby J. Theriote, the American Vice Consul. There are 21 Americans outside the city in this consular district.

It was said at the War Department today that every effort would be made by the commander of the American troops at Laredo, Texas, to keep heedless spectators away from the border in the event of actual hostilities across the border. The general order to the American troops still stands to return promptly any fire or bullets or shells from across the line if they are satisfied that the firing is intentional.

Belated advices from Durango are to the effect that the Constitutionalist forces now occupy Gomez Palacio and Lerdo. Before the abandonment of Torreon, the revolutionists are said to have moved large quantities of provisions consequently the food supplies are short. About 50 Americans remain in Torreon. About 8,000 refugees from Torreon, composed of the worst element of the population are said to have recently entered Durango. Their lodging and feeding offer

a difficult problem. The American Embassy in Mexico City has been assured by the manager of the Bank of London and Mexico that the institution is solvent and that it will meet all obligations on Janu-

Stories of suffering in Northern Sinaloa from famine continue to reach the State Department. The Red Cross will extend relief.

MR. DORTCH IN RALEIGH.

Announce in a Few Days Names of Additional Deputies.

Raleigh, Dec. 30.-United States Marshal W. T. Dortch will come up late today from Goldsboro and will be at his office in the temporary Federal building. It is expected that he will announce the remainder of his appointments of deputy marshals in the course of a few days.

Mr. Walter R. Johnson, of Windsor who has been appointed an office deputy marshal, will arrive in a day or so and take up his work.

WOODLAND CRUMBS.

We had quite a rainy Christmas, but it was very pleasant sitting around

Prof. Leslie Pearson, who after teaching a few years is spending one year at the University, is at home for the holidays.

Earl Pearson, Ezra A. Moore and Miss Anna Mary Cox from Guilford Cilege are at home spending the holidays, where their many friends are glad to see them.

Mr. Nervius Moore from West Town High school is spending a few days

Mr. Ralph Moore from Liberty, N C., is visiting friends and relatives in this section.

We are pained to learn of the death of Mr. John Thomas, foreman of the Ken'ucky Horse and Mule Company's farm, which occurred on Saturday night last of pneumonia. Mr. Thomas who had spent only one year in our community had proved himeslf to be a good neighbor and a useful citizen To his bereaved family we extend our heart felt sympathy. After a vacation of several days

the children are glad to get back to their school duties, and the older people to their regular routine of work We learn that within the last few days there has been two marriages not far away, the one being that of Mr. Leslie Parker to Miss Fannie Sutton, the other Rev. Dixie Blackman to Miss Mary Brogden. We extend

our congratulations. It will soon be time to begin trucking in this section-garden peas, cabbage and onions to start with.

Planters should be careful not plant large quantities as labor is scarce and there is danger too, of over doing the market.

The Myrtle Springs didn't shut down for the holidays as people always of the Superior Court of Wayne Councrave good water after eating turkey ty, North Carolina, as administratrix READER.

mortgage deed executed on the 7th day present the same, duly verified, to the of January, 1913, by John Graham undersigned for payment on or be and wife, to Edgerton & Edgerton fore the 12th day of December, 1914 which is recorded in book 110, at page or this notice will be pleaded in bar 231, Records of Wayne county, the of their recovery. All persons indebi undersigned will, on Tuesday, the 13th ed to said estate are requested t day of January, 1914, at the Court make prompt payment to the underhouse door in Goldsboro, sell for cash signed. to the highest bidder the following tract of land, lying in Brogden Township. Wayne county, in the State of Administratrix of George W. Parker North Carolina, and bounded as fol-

Beginning at a stake, on the road corner of G. C. Kornegay's land, and runs with his line N. 651/2 W. 210 -t

line; thence with the road and Bow-This 13th day of Dec., 1913. EDGERTON & EDGERTON. Dorth & Barham, Attorneys.

E. M. DAVIS GROCERY CO.

The store of this company will be closed on Thursday-New Year's Day -for stock-taking. Our fcustomers

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having been urged by so many of my friends to become a candidate for Congress, and having finally signified my willingness so to do, and further

sional Convention. If my candidacy shall meet with pose to faithfully represent this district in Congress and my undivided labors shall be directed to this end.

Respectfully, O. H. GUION. December 24th, 1913.

A New York millionaire says that the quickest way to step from poverty to wealth i to travel a crooked path. And yet some insist that a straight line is the shortest distance between

THE ONE HE WANTED.

"Here, sir," said the antique dealer displaying a huge sword to a clerical looking collector, "ever see anything more interesting that that? That's Balaam's sword.'

"But, my good man, that cannot be,' said the dominie. "Balaam never had a sword. He only wished for one." "Quite right, sir," said the dealer. This is the one he wished for!"

PROGRAM ACME THEATRE

Week Beginning Dec. 29th. FOUR-REELS DAILY-FOUR

TUESDAY

THE VETERAN -2-reel Broncho A play certain to endear itself to many hearts. How often we hear " the older generation regretting that young people today know so little about the Civil War! See this picture, it brings back and makes vivid all the pathos and bereism of the Civil War days. "A SURE CURE,"

(Reliance) -- One of those rare comedy dramas with a real plot "In the Harem of Haschem'

(Lubin drama.)

WEDNESDAY

"WHAT HER DIARY TOLD" (American)-An excellent society drama with Winifred Greenwood as lead, supported by an all-star

"LITTLE BROTHER"-Thanhouser This is a by-the-sea yarn from Cape May-it'll make you clamer for the whole celebrated series. "AN INDIAN'S HONOR"-K. B. A one reel Western thriller. 'Two's Company, Three's a Crowd' (Vitagraph Comedy.

THURSDAY

"The Judgment"-2-reel Domino In "The Judgment" the Domino given lovers of historical rocarned with certain legends pertaining to the Carver family, the governors of New Plymouth-and is staged with infinite detail and

WEERLY NO. 45' Current events gathered in pictures HIS UNDESIRABLE RELATIONS Edison comedy.

FRIDAY

"THE HAUNTED HOUSE" (American)-A society drama en-"LOUBING FOR TROUBLE"

(Thanhouser comedy.) "TWO MEN AND A MULE" (Religne comedy)-This series of dar every week. Fourth real announced later.

SATURDAY "THE JUNIOR PARTNER" l-reel Thunhouser feature)-A thriller, showing the burning of a real house and introduces to film fans James Durkin an old time

"SMALL TOWN ACT" Keystone comedy-that's all. "THE MILK WE DRINK" Keystone-Educational Fourth reel announced later. FOUR REELS EVERY DAY

NOTICE.

Having qualified before the Clerk of Geo. W. Parker, late of said county Under and by virtue of a certain estate of the said Geo. W. Parker to

> This 9th day of Dec., 1913. deceased, Goldsboro, N. C.



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New Year Greetings

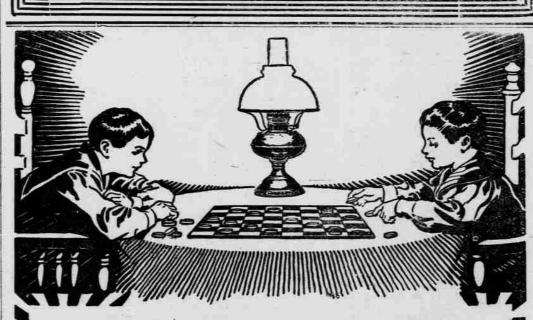
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We appreciate your co-operation and shall strive to deserve your continued patronage and commendation.

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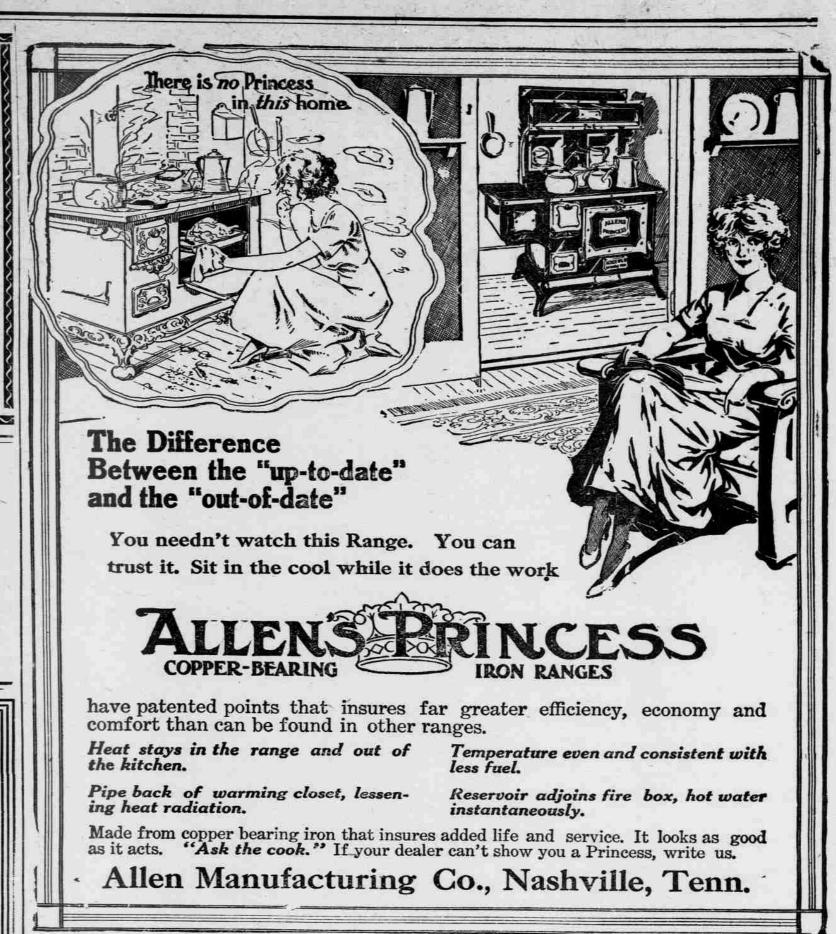
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A Suggestion

Many doubtless received money presents and naturally want to invest same in something permanent as a keepsake from the donor. more lasting, and at the same time useful and ornamental keepsake, than a piece of Furniture. Come and see if we havn't just what you want. Yours truly,

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